


October 29, 1987

TO: File

FROM: David M. Wham, Reclamation Hydrologist 

RE: Site Inspection, Western Clay Company, Redmond Bentonite Pit, M/041/012, Sevier County, Utah

Frank Jensen and I were accompanied by Tom Chivers, General Manager, Western Clay Company, on an inspection of the above referenced site 8 October 1987. The mine site was in a clean and orderly condition. No problems were noted onsite.

The operator has recently moved a new mobile sorter/stacker to the site and was actively mining at the time of our inspection.

Several small stilling basins have been constructed around the mine site at locations which effectively trap the majority of surface runoff generated by the operation.

Recommendation: periodic site visits.

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CHANGE IN FILE STATUS  
APPROVAL FORM

DATE October 29, 1987

CURRENT FILE NO. DOE/041/001

RECOMMENDED FILE NO. M/041/012

COMPANY AND MINE NAME Western Clay Company, Redwood Bentonite Pit

REASON FOR CHANGE IN FILE STATUS

DOE/041/001 was filed by the operator 1 July 1977. Due to a need for expansion, the operator filed an MR-1 on the same property 15 April 1983. this application (M/041/012) was subsequently approved 9 August 1985. I therefore recommend that the original Declaration of Exemption be combined into M/041/012.

REQUESTORS NAME Dave Wham *Dave M. Wham*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NAME Lowell Braxton

ADMINISTRATOR SIGNATURE LO Braxton 11/4/87